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SUBJECT: US AS SUBJECT IN GOE MEDIA

1. USINTOFF CALLED ON SAAD KHALIL, DIRECTOR OF MFA'S NORTH AMERICAN DESK, EARLY AFTERNOON OCTOBER 7. DURING COURSE OF LONG, RELAXED AND HIGHLY GENERAL DISCUSSION, USINTOFF NOTED DIFFERENCE BETWEEN 1967 AND PRESENT HOSTILITIES REGARDING ATTENTION EGYPTIAN PRESS AND MEDIA HAVE GIVEN TO US. IN 1967, US WAS AS MUCH TARGET OF HOSTILE RHETORIC AS ISRAEL AND THIS CONTRIBUTED TO VERY TENSE SITUATION FOR AMERICAN CITIZENS IN EGYPT IN FINAL DAYS OF JUNE WAR. PRESENT CIRCUMSTANCES WAS DIFFERENT. US HAD NOT BEEN ACCUSED IN CAIRO PAPERS AS BEING DIRECT ACCOMPLICE TO ISRAEL, AND DID NOT APPEAR TO BE FOCUS OF HOSTILE MEDIA CAMPAIGN. USINTOFF SAID THAT WE WERE APPRECIATIVE OF THIS LIGHT COVERAGE, AND HOPED THAT IT WOULD REMAIN MUTED.

2. APPROACH WAS LOW KEY, BUT KHALIL CAUGHT THE POINT. HE SAID HE WOULD RAISE MATTER WITH HIS SUPERIORS.
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